



**WHEREAS**, hope springs eternal in Volusia County, thanks to the vision and leadership of local humanitarian Forough Hosseini; and

**WHEREAS**, Mrs. Hosseini has dedicated her time and talents to helping homeless and underprivileged children in Volusia County through several charities; and

**WHEREAS**, she brought the community together and spearheaded efforts to create Hope Place, a transitional unit that offers a safe, stable environment to help homeless families and unaccompanied youths move on to self-sufficiency and their own permanent housing; and

**WHEREAS**, Mrs. Hosseini also founded Food Brings Hope, a public charity that provides collaborative solutions for families with children who experience hardships due to homelessness, poverty or unfamiliarity with community resources; and

**WHEREAS**, Mrs. Hosseini also serves her community by chairing the Daytona State College Board of Trustees and serving on the United Way Foundation Board; and

**WHEREAS**, she is a role model and inspiration to all; **NOW, THEREFORE**,

**WE, THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF VOLUSIA COUNTY, FLORIDA**, do hereby proclaim April 3, 2018, as:

### **“FOROUGH HOSSEINI DAY”**

in Volusia County and urge residents to applaud her for her philanthropy and dynamic leadership.

**Dated this 26th day of March, A.D. 2018**

**COUNTY COUNCIL  
VOLUSIA COUNTY, FLORIDA**

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Ed Kelley".

**ED KELLEY, County Chair**

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Joyce M. Cusack".

**JOYCE M. CUSACK, At-Large**

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Pat Patterson".

**PAT PATTERSON, District 1**

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Heather Post".

**HEATHER POST, District 4**

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Deborah A. Denys".

**DEBORAH DENYS, Vice Chair, District 3**

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Billie Wheeler".

**BILLIE WHEELER, District 2**

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Dr. Fred Lowry".

**DR. FRED LOWRY, District 5**